



Capabilities Needs Analysis (CNA)



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Purpose

To provide a basic overview on the purpose of the CNA process and how it impacts on the Doctrine Community



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CNA Purpose

The CNA will assist the Army's future force development process by:

- identifying Army requirements to support Joint required capabilities
- assessing how the programmed Doctrine, Organization, Training, Materiel, Leadership and Education, Personnel and Facilities (DOTMLPF) solutions support the Army requirements identified above
- identifying capability gaps -- *what is left that we can't do?*

The CNA will inform:

- TRADOC CG's developmental priorities
- ARSTAF and TRADOC POM development
- TRADOC Developments Guidance
- TRADOC Science and Technology (S&T) Strategy



Who Uses CNA ?



CG TRADOC

- o Using CNA-identified critical capabilities and their associated solutions, provide a strategic assessment of the Army Investment Strategy to influence POM

TRADOC

CNA products:

- o Identify strategic capability requirements and their associated solutions by DOTMLPF packages and focus programming efforts
- o Identify critical gaps, direct via Developments and Experimentation Guidance, further JCIDS efforts (including ICD, CDD, and associated analyses)
- o Inform where operational risk can be accepted
- o Inform Spiraling Developments work for the Current Force
- o Identify critical gaps to focus S&T on areas requiring innovation or new technology

ARSTAF

CNA products:

- o Assist in identifying and ordering critical DOTMLPF solutions and gaps
- o Assist in selectively resourcing DOTMLPF solutions
- o Assist in identifying and ordering critical sustainment priorities and gaps
- o Assist in identifying capabilities where operational risk can be accepted



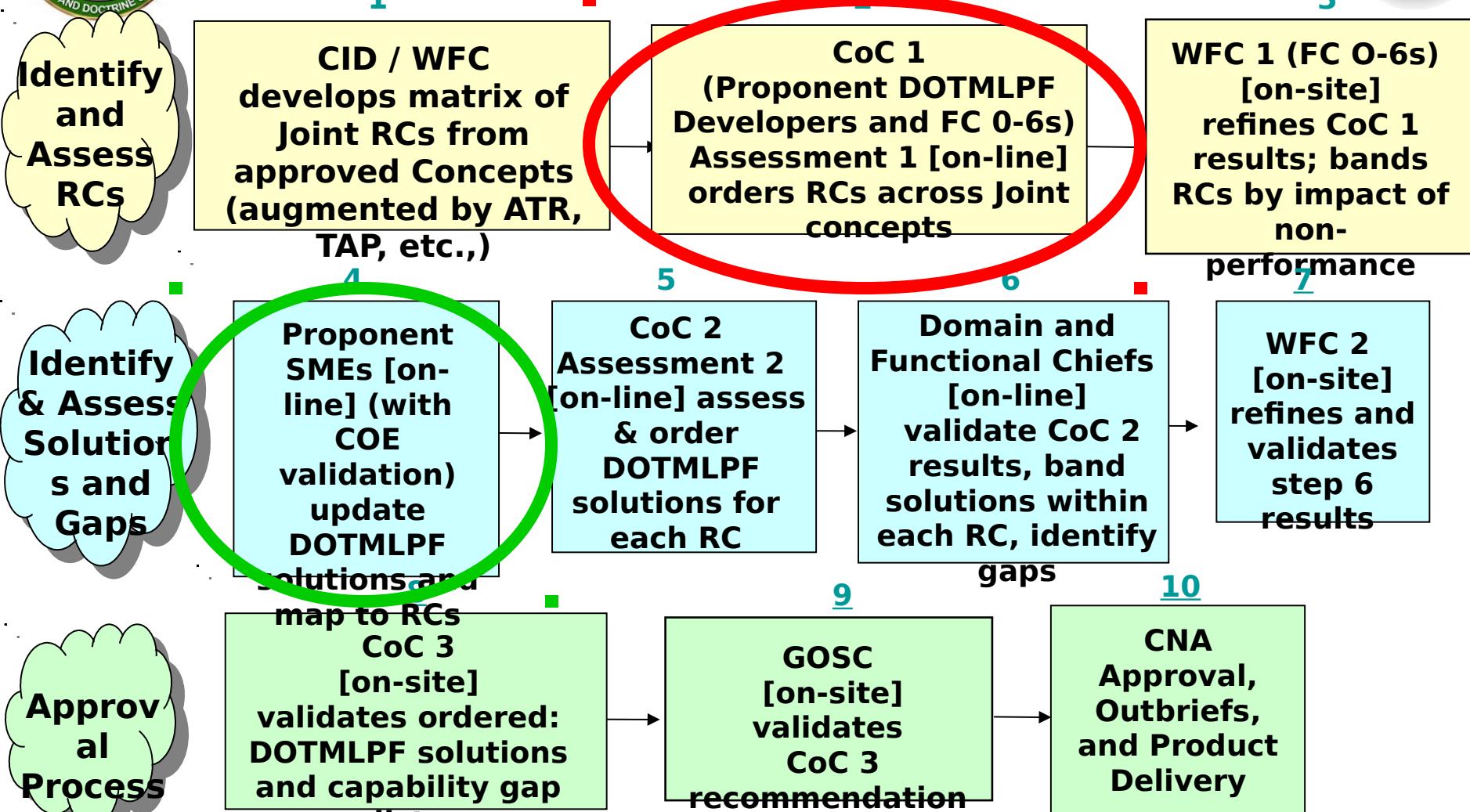
Way Ahead CNA 09-13



Current construct of the CNA will remain the same or have minor changes



CNA Process



CNA = Capabilities Needs Analysis FC = Futures Center CID = Capabilities Integration Division

RC = Required Capability TAP = The Army Plan ATR = Army Transformation Roadmap CoC = Council of Colonels

WFC = War Fighting Council GOSC = General Officer Steering Committee SME = Subject Matter Expert



Methodology

- Army Input/Writing Joint Doctrine
- FM 3-0 and supporting Keystone doctrine
- FM's to support the modular Army
- FM's to support FCS development
- Proponent priorities



Conclusion

- JADD will conduct upfront analysis for the CNA 09-13
- Construct for CNA 09-13 is still under development